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LONELY LIFE IS ENDED IN MOUNTAINS

Found dying on the Mt. Wilson Trail a short distance above the Quarter-way Monday afternoon, Miss Fannie McKenzie of Los Angeles is supposed to have taken her own life by a dose of poison. There was nothing about her to reveal her identity which was shrouded in mystery for a day. But her address was finally found to be 955 Winfield street, Los Angeles, where she resided with the family of C. B. Perkins. There the suicide theory was confirmed by several circumstances.

Without a known relative and not even knowing who her parents were, the woman had been a lonely figure among her acquaintances. She had formerly resided in Vermont with the Perkins family and when they came to Los Angeles a few years since she asked to be permitted to accompany them. She was past fifty years of age and of late her loneliness had weighed heavily upon her. Mr. Perkins reported she had tried previously to end her life. And when friends in Vermont were notified they replied by telegraph in such a way as to indicate that she had given them some sort of warning of what she had in mind.

The dying woman was found by Miss Knight of Pasadena who was coming down the trail. Mrs. Norman Clyde of Pasadena, a trained nurse who came along the trail opportunely, administered first aid remedies, but without avail. Marshal Udell and Deputy Cox were notified and went up the trail immediately. Finding the woman dead, Mr. Udell returned to Sierra Madre to notify Coroner Hartwell by telephone and returned to have the body brought down on a stretcher to the undertaking parlors of A. T. Gay.

BASKET PICNIC FOR CANYON LOT OWNERS

Under the auspices of the Canyon Park Improvement Association a big basket picnic will be held in Sierra Madre canyon on August 7, the first Saturday of next month. The association hopes to have every owner of canyon property present on that day, and others who are interested in the canyon. The dinner hour is set for two o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Canyon Park Improvement Association will be held Saturday evening, July 17, at 7:30 o'clock. Full attendance is desired.

AUTOBUS COMPANY GIVES HALF-HOUR SERVICE

Two cars an hour between Sierra Madre and Pasadena is the schedule now arranged by the Pasadena Autobus Company. Cars leave Sierra Madre on the hour and 20 minutes after the hour. Transfers are given to the Colorado street line operated by the autobus company. On the return trip cars leave the junction of Colorado street and Huntington drive at 15 and 40 minutes after the hour. The company expects to have a waiting room fitted up soon at the corner of Colorado street and Rose avenue in Lamanda Park, making that the transfer point. The rate to Lamanda Park is 10 cents and to Pasadena 15 cents, or 25 cents for the round trip. In Sierra Madre the cars run all the way to the canyon, charging five cents for local fares, and a surprising amount of local business has been developed.

Six Rules to Observe to Prevent Disastrous Fires in the Mountains

RULES TO PREVENT MOUNTAIN FIRES

Precautions of the simplest kind would eliminate most of the loss resulting from forest fires, as shown by reports on the causes of the fires in the reserves last season.

Much could be accomplished by observance of the following six simple rules:

1. Be sure your match is out before you throw it away.
2. Knock out your pipe ashes or throw away your cigar or cigarette stump where there is nothing to catch fire.
3. Don't build a camp fire any larger than is absolutely necessary. Never leave it even for a short time without putting it OUT with water or dirt.
4. Don't build a camp fire against a tree or a log. Build a small one where you can scrape away the needles, leaves or grass from all sides of it.
5. If you discover a fire, put it out if possible; if you can't put it out, get word to the nearest U. S. forest ranger or state fire warden just as quickly as you possibly can.

WHOM TO NOTIFY

A. N. Carter, Ranger, Phone Red 20, Sierra Madre.
A. M. Udell, Marshal, Phones Red 34 or Red 3.
Walter Zachau, District Ranger, Big Santa Anita Canyon. Phone 206-2 bells, Sierra Madre.
T. W. Sloan, Division Ranger, Glendora, Phone 72.
R. H. Charlton, Forest Supervisor, Los Angeles; Main 2904 or 60011.

GIGANTIC BATH TUB FOR BALDWIN HORSES

A hospital for horses, which has been built with all the care of a modern infirmary for human beings, is attracting much attention at the Santa Anita Rancho of Mrs. Anita Baldwin south of Sierra Madre. There a sick horse is treated and made well in the shortest possible time, and in his time of convalescence is surrounded by such luxuries that the equine would be forgiven if he immediately began to entertain hopes of a new malady.

The interior of the building is of white tile and the stalls are kept spotlessly clean. Not even a particle of dust can find permanent lodgment. A system of spraying the whole interior with water, hot or cold, prevents the harboring of any disease germs.

One of the most interesting features of the hospital is its bath tub. This bath tub is not unlike an ordinary one, such as is used, or would like to be used, by the sometimes less fortunate human biped, except that it is larger and that there is an ingenious system of pulleys and belts, by which the horse is caught up and, willing or not, sooused into the water.

The hospital is an adjunct to the magnificent stable that Mrs. Baldwin has erected on the rancho, which was made famous in the days when her father, the late E. J. ("Lucky") Baldwin, owned it. The stable is probably the costliest and most modern in its arrangement of any in the country.

MAKE UP POLL TAX LOSS

According to a bulletin recently sent out from the state superintendent's office the county will have to levy taxes to make up a deficiency of about 85 cents per pupil on average daily attendance in elementary schools to make up for the loss of the poll tax fund this year. The poll tax which was eliminated by the voters last November provided about \$550,000 for school funds. A portion of this has been made up by transferring money from the state's general fund to the school fund. The balance will have to be made up by the counties. Los Angeles county has about 74,000 pupils in elementary schools, making about \$63,000 to be raised by taxation to make up the poll tax loss.

WHO? WHICH? WHAT?

Who persecutes you everywhere?

Which pest's the worst that dies the air?

What makes an honest christian swear?

The fly.

Who bites you on your pink left ear?

And when you dare to interfere?

Departs with angry buzz and sneer?

The fly.

At mealtimes who is right on hand?

The uninvited, blithe and bland?

And pitches in to beat the band?

Flies—several.

All races are the lawful game;

White, red or black are just the same.

Mankind at large all cuss the name

Of fly.

But, gently judge this little pest;

His life is very short at best—

See! in your cream pot he's at rest.

Poor fly.

NELSON C. HAWKS.

Cobb Valley, Cal.

The Misses Hazel and Jean Woodward entertained with a delightful little luncheon on Thursday, their guests being Mrs. Lawless, Mrs. G. B. Morgridge, Miss Weaver and Miss Crawley.

GOVERNMENT PUBLICATION

Congressman Charles H. Randall of Highland Park is supplying a wide variety of government publications, bulletins and maps to his constituents, free upon request. Simply state what subject interests you. The Agricultural Year Book for 1914 is one of these valuable publications. The government issues many hundreds of booklets, interesting to the housewife, agriculturist and fruit raiser. A list of these will be sent free by Congressman Randall.

FINE PICNIC CROWD

Sierra Madre People Take Possession of Redondo Beach for Hilarious Day

Contrary to general expectations the seventh annual Sierra Madre picnic held under the auspices of the board of trade at Redondo Beach on Thursday proved a record breaker. Some had feared the financial stringency might keep many away, but it seemed to have the opposite effect of making them all the more anxious to take advantage of the bargain railroad and amusement rates. Others had prophesied that the big parade of the Elks' convention would prove too strong a counter attraction. But the number who turned out to the picnic proved that the annual beach frolic has become a sort of habit with the community.

Four large cars were fairly well filled when the picnickers left Sierra Madre. Nearly a hundred people made the trip by auto, joining the excursionists at the beach. Altogether the crowd was probably the largest which has attended a board of trade picnic.

The weather was ideal, the ocean was as big as ever, and everything worked together to raise the spirits of the crowd which gathered in the grove for the picnic dinner to the highest pitch of enjoyment.

In spite of a delay in starting the special trains were operated more early according to schedule than has usually been the case. The extra reached Sierra Madre on the return trip soon after seven, but a majority of the excursionists had stayed at the beach or stopped in Los Angeles for the evening, returning at all hours of the night.

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Church of the Ascension, the Rev. Dr. Geo. H. Cornell rector. Vested choir. Seventh Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion, 7:30 a. m. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m. The Girls Friendly Society will meet with Miss Gertrude Elsner, 252 East Grand View, on Friday at 4:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

KANSANS TO HONOR DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

Former Kansans living in Southern California are planning to give Governor Arthur Capper, Lieutenant Governor W. G. Morgan, D. W. Mulvane, Albert T. Ried, Henry J. Allen, W. P. Innes and their wives a royal reception upon their arrival in Los Angeles and their sojourn here.

They will be the guests of the Kansas organization Friday evening, July 30, and an informal dinner will be given at Christopher's at 740 South Broadway, to which all Kansans are cordially invited to attend. Plates will be \$1.25, and reservations must be made in advance. These reservations can be made at Christopher's or at the office of John W. Huntsberger, 1118 Marsh-Strong Building. Phone F3214.

Saturday, July 31, a picnic will be held at Sycamore Grove by former Kansans in honor of the governor and lieutenant governor and their party. We hope this will be the largest gathering of Kansans ever held in Southern California. These arrangements are being made under the direction of H. H. Huntsberger, president of the State Association of Kansas.

H. H. HUNTSBERGER, Pres.

A Wave of Water.

There is no necessary connection between the advance of a wave and the forward movement of the water composing it, as may be seen by running the fingers along the keys of a piano. An inverted wave travels along, but the keys merely move up and down. Similarly a wave may often be observed running along the ripe ears of golden grain, while the stalks are firmly rooted in the soil. The onward progress of a sea wave is easily perceptible, and by watching some light substance floating on the surface the fact is revealed that the water is not moving with the same velocity.

The T. C. B. Club were pleasantly entertained by Miss Helen Sadler on Monday evening.

FREE SPACE REFUSED

Monrovia Officials and Local Newspapers Come to Showdown

Regarding a matter of public interest alike in Monrovia and Sierra Madre the Monrovia Messenger prints the following editorial:

Complaint was heard in Monrovia this past week that members of the city board of trustees were not keeping a promise made during the last campaign in that they are not causing to be published a list of the bills paid by them at each meeting.

In justice, it should be said now, that the board has sought to have these bills published but the two newspapers in Monrovia have refused to print them unless advertising rates were paid. The Messenger has been importuned by the board to accord them space, but has refused on the ground that these constitute a part of the corporate business of the city which should be set forth in a financial statement either printed annually or monthly. The transactions of the city council, especially those acts involving the expenditure of money, are matters which should be reported to the taxpayers in legal form, in precisely the same manner officers of other corporations report. But just why the newspapers should be called upon to do this is not so clear.

Some time ago, the board directed the city clerk to make a list of the bills paid at each council meeting and submit them to the newspapers for publication. Following the next two meetings thereafter, these lists were given to the Messenger, and in each instance this newspaper refused to print them. The other Monrovia newspaper likewise refused to print them for the same reason advanced by the Messenger—the matter should be paid for.

In one way or another the same question has been raised at various times in Sierra Madre. The same campaign promises have been made regarding the publication of expenditures. But no attempt has ever been made to have them printed in this paper either free or otherwise.

Monrovia papers, like most others, are generous in the donation of space for every matter of public interest. Such matter as that described has no place in the news columns, though taxpayers who want to inform themselves should have the data within easy reach. But why the newspapers should be called upon to bear the expense of matters which are so clearly public business is beyond comprehension.

DICKSON-LEGUIN

Amid the soft glow of a myriad of candles, in a bower of fern and Shasta daisies, Miss Etta Dickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dickson, became the bride of Mr. Joseph LeGuin of Alhambra, on Wednesday evening. The ceremony took place at the Dickson home on Montecito avenue, at 7:45 o'clock, the Rev. Fred Staff officiating. Miss Gertrude Cook sang "Because" and "I Know a Garden," and as the Lohengrin wedding march was played by Mrs. C. L. Twycross six young ladies, the Misses Marian Decker, Hilda Caley, Maybelle Caley, Avis Preston, Mertie Preston, and Mrs. Merton Clark, gowned in white with corsage bouquets of Shasta daisies, marched down the stairway. They bore ropes of smilax, fern and Shasta daisies, which formed the aisle for the wedding party. The bride came in with her father and wore a gown of white net over cream crepe de chine. She carried a shower bouquet of white lilies and fern. The matron of honor was Mrs. Frances DeVore of Pasadena, who wore a white lace gown and carried white roses, and the maid of honor was Miss Marian Moody, cousin of the bride, who was gowned in yellow crepe meteor and carried yellow tea roses and fern. Mr. Merton Clark acted as best man. After the short ring ceremony, the happy couple received showers of rice and congratulations from their many friends under the wedding bell. A reception followed the ceremony and after the bride and groom had cut the wedding cake dainty refreshments were served. Those assisting Mrs. Dickson in receiving were Mrs. M. Moody and the Misses Verna Trible and Dorothy McBean. A jolly crowd of young people later accompanied the bridal couple to Pasadena, where a warm reception awaited them at the DeVore home.

CITRUS THrips CONTROL

DESCRIBED BY EXPERTS

That it is financially profitable to spray citrus trees in order to rid the fruit of the citrus thrips is the conclusion reached by the U. S. Department of Agriculture after an investigation into conditions in the San Joaquin Valley and in the orange groves of Southern California and Arizona. The citrus thrips is a minute orange-yellow insect which sucks juices from the leaves, the rind and the stems of citrus fruits much as the mosquito draws blood from human beings. Young trees in nurseries are blighted and rendered unsightly and the fruit itself is reduced in size and its attractive appearance impaired. Since the eating qualities are not injured, however, it has been argued that the control of the pest is more costly than the damage it does. From figures published in a new Farmers' Bulletin of the Department of Agriculture, No. 674, "Control of the Citrus Thrips in California and Arizona," it appears that this is not so.

At the present time many California packing houses divide their oranges into three grades, although in some cases no distinction is made between the first two. As far as injury from thrips is concerned, it has been calculated that 34 per cent of the fruit is first grade, 43 per cent second, and 23 per cent third. First grade fruit averages 37 cents more a box than second and second 28 cents more than third. Where only two grades are shipped there is an average difference of 51 boxes, or 18 per cent, from the second to the first grade—only two grades being now considered. The difference in price between the two grades being 51 cents, this means increased receipts of \$29.58 or a net profit per acre from spraying of \$15.49.

In order to demonstrate this, the bulletin already mentioned takes an acre of 18-year-old navel orange trees as a basis for calculation. The total cost, including labor, of three applications of lime-sulphur is found to be \$14.09. With a yield per acre of 324 boxes of fruit, spraying should raise 58 boxes, or 18 per cent, from the second to the first grade—only two grades being now considered. The difference in price between the two grades being 51 cents, this means increased receipts of \$29.58 or a net profit per acre from spraying of \$15.49.

Three sprayings are regarded as necessary during the period between the falling of the petals and the time when the fruit is half grown. The first application should be given when four-fifths or more of the petals have fallen, the second from 10 to 14 days later, and the third application from two to four weeks afterwards. A fourth spraying is desirable in late August or September when the thrips are likely to congregate upon new shoots.

The spraying outfit should be set up, ready to put in operation, not later than April 1 and the necessary materials should be ordered in January or February in order to insure their being on hand when wanted. Detailed instructions for spraying orchards, nurseries and seed beds are contained in Farmers' Bulletin 674.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Sunday school, morning worship, Christian Endeavor meeting and evening service next Sunday, July 18, as usual. The pastor will preach morning and evening. Subject in the morning, "What to do with Christ." In the evening, "The Temptations of Mediocrity." All are invited.

FRED STAFF, Pastor.

HOME OF TRUTH

Sunday at 3:30 p. m. devotional service is held at the Home of Truth, corner Auburn and Carter, to which every one is cordially invited. Service conducted by Harriet C. Hamor. Sunday school at two o'clock. All children welcome.

Sierra Madre Directory

CITY OFFICIALS

BOARD OF TRUSTEES—J. M. Beard, Chairman; Louis Dietz, Arthur Johnson, Jr., F. D. R. Moore, L. E. Steinberger. Regular meetings in City Hall, second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. City Clerk, C. Perry; Attorney, C. C. Monogram; Treasurer, Carlton J. Peltier; Marshal and Street Superintendent, A. M. Udell; Engineer, Wm. F. Bixby; Supt. Water Dept., Franklin Biederman.

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HERE AT HOME

Stafford Sadler spent the week end at San Pedro visiting relatives.

Mrs. George Messcar spent Thursday visiting friends at Long Beach.

Miss Mildred Powell spent Thursday at Long Beach visiting relatives.

Mrs. L. G. Chamberlain of Chicago is a guest of Miss Greene of 161 East Montecito.

O. B. Howells of Los Angeles was a guest of George E. Preston and family on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. D. McInnis of Saskatchewan, Can., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary McQuillan.

Cashier F. W. Nuetzel and family have taken apartments at Venice for a week or more.

F. W. Weeks and family left for San Francisco in their machine on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Lydia Anderson of Long Beach is spending several weeks in her Sierra Madre cottage.

Judge Leslie R. Hewitt and family of Los Angeles were visitors at the Fennel home on Sunday.

H. R. Rich and family left for San Francisco on Tuesday morning, where they will attend the fair.

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Mrs. W. E. Farman and Miss Bae Farman are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kersting at Ocean Park this week.

Miss Annie Greene and her guests, Miss Merriam and Mrs. Chamberlain, will spend next week at Catalina Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fuller whose home is near Atlanta, Georgia, were weekend guests of Prof. and Mrs. E. T. Pierce.

Dr. George Blumer and family, Miss Edith Blumer and General Bradley returned on Monday morning from San Francisco.

Dr. Nat Barker of Cedar Grove, Me., visited at the home of his cousin, S. R. G. Twycross, on Wednesday. He has been attending medical conventions on the Pacific Coast.

Miss Harriett Sperry entertained about twenty little guests at a matinee party at Clune's Theater, Pasadena, on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Flora Clark of Burlington, Vt., and Miss Mabel Miller of Los Angeles were guests of Mrs. V. L. Joslin at Cypress Court on Monday.

Visitors at the W. A. Evans home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Whitsell of San Dimas and Mr. Pierson and Miss Pierson of Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fennel and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wright motored to Redondo on Thursday and attended the Board of Trade picnic.

Mrs. C. C. Johnson and Miss Katherine Johnson of Claremont and Mrs. S. C. Kendall of Berkeley were weekend guests of Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Hart.

The Misses Johnson of Montecito avenue entertained Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Kimball of Boston on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball are touring the coast.

Misses Hilda and Maybelle Caley and Mr. Harry Leaming were among the guests at a birthday surprise party given by Pasadena friends on Saturday night.

R. A. Rathbun, foreman of the Villa Pilar ranch on Canyon avenue for the past six years, has accepted a position in Redlands where he will have charge of a 45-acre orange ranch.

On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fennel accompanied by Mrs. Haines of Los Angeles and Mrs. MacMillan of Alhambra, motored to Long Beach, Seal Beach, Naples and Santa Ana.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hawks accompanied by their guest, William Stevens of San Francisco, motored to the San Bernardino mountains this week and spent a few pleasant days camping.

Harold Costello returned this week from El Centro and expects to spend the summer in Sierra Madre. Mr. Costello was in El Centro at the time of the recent earthquake and has many interesting stories to tell of the narrow escapes.

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DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE

The Sierra Madre Mining and Milling Company, a corporation, principal place of business Sierra Madre, Los Angeles County, California. Location of property, Haiwee, Inyo County, California.

NOTICE.—There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment number 5, levied on the 5th day of June, 1915, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

Name.	Cert. No.	No. Shares	Amt.
Backus, Geo. A.	82	1000	\$ 5.00
Backus, Geo. A. Jr.	101	1000	5.00
Bridle, M. H.	128	2000	10.00
Clark, C. M.	2	250	1.25
Clark, C. M.	267	81500	407.50
Cheney, Florence M.	145	50	.25
Clark, John H.	158	4500	22.50
Clark, John H.	220	450	2.25
Clark, Alice M.	159	4500	22.50
Clark, Alice M.	221	450	2.25
Calvert, Christiansa	215	1000	5.00
Driffill, Mrs. J. A.	255	15000	75.00
Driffill, Emma Mabel	89	2500	12.50
Driffill, Emma Mabel	246	12500	62.50
Driffill, J. A.	231	25000	125.00
Driffill, J. A.	245	18600	93.00
Driffill, J. A.	260	3500	17.50
Eaton, F. A.	12	500	2.50
Eaton, F. A.	134	2000	10.00
Eaton, F. A.	219	700	3.50
Felgate, W. W.	38	5000	25.00
Flint, H. G.	48	200	1.00
Flint, H. G.	78	2000	10.00
Graham, J. J.	10	10000	50.00
Graham, Thosella H.	122	100000	500.00
Gammom, Estelle B.	280	1000	5.00
Gilbert, John A.	23	500	2.50
Gilbert, John A.	222	50	.25
Gilbert, Hulda	115	1000	5.00
Gilbert, J. A.	114	2000	10.00
Gilbert, J. A.	188	5000	25.00
Gilbert, J. A.	198	5000	25.00
Gilbert, J. A.	279	4000	20.00
Gilbert, Alma E.	179	3000	15.00
Gregory, Albert	77	2000	10.00
Gregory, Albert	123	2000	10.00
Gregory, Albert	129	1000	5.00
Gregory, Albert	256	1000	5.00
Green, John	93	1000	5.00
Green, Robert	95	1000	5.00
Gabbert, J. R.	100	1400	7.00
Gabbert, J. R.	106	1100	5.50
Gabbert, J. B.	108	500	2.50
Gabbert, J. R.	116	500	2.50
Gabbert, J. R.	130	500	2.50
Gabbert, J. R.	133	1000	5.00
Gabbert, J. R.	201	400	2.00
Gabriel, M. J.	276	2000	10.00
Grigsby, E. H.	270	1000	5.00
Hunter, Eddie	148	100	.50
Hunter, Eddie	181	1000	5.00
Hunter, Elizabeth K.	149	50	.25
Huston, Chester T.	29	600	3.00
Huston, Chester T.	266	4000	20.00
Hoffman, E. A.	33	2000	10.00
Hosmer, N. H.	235	500	2.50
Jenkins, Henry	74	500	2.50
Jones, C. W.	176	6000	30.00
Jones, C. W.	177	250	1.25
Keys, Sarah E.	107	800	4.00
Keys, Sarah E.	293	30000	150.00
Lindsey, J. W.	13	5000	25.00
Lindsey, J. W.	156	3000	15.00
Lindsey, J. W.	223	800	4.00
Lindsey, Nellie M.	157	3000	15.00
Lindsey, Nellie M.	224	300	1.50
Lothridge, L. S.	103	1000	5.00
Lund, C. W.	262	280	1.40
Mead, A. S.	154	150	.75
Mead, A. S.	217	240	1.20
Mead, A. S.	232	5155	25.75
Mead, E. W.	213	2000	10.00
Mead, E. N.	143	50	.25
Mead, Mary W.	144	50	.25
Mead, Susan H.	180	10000	50.00
Mead, Maggie A.	150	50	.25
Mead, Lettie W.	151	50	.25
Miller, H. K.	152	50	.25
Metz, T. J.	30	500	2.50
Metz, T. J.	39	500	2.50
Metz, T. J.	42	1000	5.00
Metz, T. J.	43	500	2.50
Metz, T. J.	44	500	2.50
Metz, T. J.	61	1000	5.00
Metz, T. J.	62	1000	5.00
Metz, T. J.	271	1000	5.00
Metz, T. J.	272	6320	31.60
Metz, T. J.	273	9000	45.00
Metz, T. J.	274	3000	15.00
Metz, T. J.	275	1000	5.00
Markwell, H. P.	63	1000	5.00
Morgan, G. E.	80	1000	5.00
Perry, Charles E.	282	2000	10.00
Peterson, G. A.	258	500	2.50
Pegler, C. J.	79	2000	10.00
Pegler, C. J.	173	1000	5.00
Staples, Harry R.	296	50000	250.00
Thacher, W. K.	59	1000	5.00
Weaver, C. H.	53	5000	25.00
Weaver, C. H.	169	5000	25.00
Yerxa, Cabot	264	4000	20.00

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EDITORIAL CHAT

Vacation Variety—

One way to have a happy time is to double up on work for half the week so as to get a half day off, hit the trail on a hot afternoon, eat a cold lunch by the wayside at the dinner hour, fall in the water at a dark stream crossing, stay up half the night dancing or listening to barber shop harmony with ukulele accompaniment, sleep three hours on the ground before being awakened for a hike up the mountainside to see the sunrise, work your head off chopping wood so you can take some chances on the cooking of a bunch of debutantes, inhale a few pounds of dust as you follow the procession down the trail, and then spend the following week recuperating from sore muscles, sunburn and indigestion.

Learning the Game—

Mountain vacationing is something that has to be learned like anything else. The only teacher is experience. But the number of people who know how to get genuine, healthful pleasure out of a mountain outing is constantly on the increase, which is an altogether good sign.

A steadily increasing number of people are learning how to dress for comfort, how to brave the wilds without packing useless artillery, what is practical for the commissary department, how to cook with camp equipment, how to get a comfortable and sufficient sleep—in short, the happy medium between "roughing it" and home comfort. To economize in effort and expense without sacrifice of comfort and enjoyment is something of an art. Whatever profit one can attain from appreciation of nature is added gain. The achievement of a successful mountain outing is abundantly worth the mental and physical effort it costs. In striking contrast to the wholesomeness of such outings is the beach entertainment which seems to be craved by such multitudes. The more the multitudes the better they are suited. They dip in the surf (dip is right when there is no room to swim), fry on the sand, and then after putting on their funny feeling clothes wander down the pike to shoot chutes, dip dips, enjoy the reels, wheels and spools, ride sky-ripping racers, eat sandy popcorn and candy and come home feeling like a frapped persimmon. Next day they hunt the sunburn lotion. Now the worst feature of all this is not the particular things that are done

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Light Spoils It—

"Light Spoils Beer" is an advertising slogan of a prominent brewer who puts up his product in brown bottles. Which simply brings to mind the fact that there isn't much about the booze business that will stand light of any kind.

Bargains for Men—

Men laugh at the inferior intelligence displayed by women who are lured by "99-cent bargains," as if they were not themselves subject to the same inclinations. This is proved by automobile prices which are certainly not fixed to suit a feminine whim. Automobiles advertised in a current magazine are priced as follows: \$1095, \$785, \$1095, \$1175, \$1750. The first three are certainly priced to attract the bargain hunting instinct. One maker of a \$1095 car frankly says his is "the only car of its class priced under \$1100."

Uncomfortable—

People who live in stone houses shouldn't throw glass.

Real Competition—

Speaking of the Fourth of July picnic dinner the society editor of the Arcadia Journal says: "After every one had been generously served to competition the exercises for the afternoon were advanced." Bill Millard, the dairyman, was one of the big noises of that celebration and I'll bet a bucket of water against a bottle of milk that Bill had something to do with that "competition" business.

—G. B. M.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

WESTERN COAST RECIPES.

CHICKEN Portola a la Coppa.—Take a fresh coconut and cut off the top, removing nearly all the meat. Put together three tablespoonsfuls of chopped coconut meat and two ears of fresh green corn cut from the cob. Slice two onions into four tablespoonsfuls of olive oil, together with a tablespoonful of dried bacon fried in olive oil. Add one chopped green pepper, half a dozen tomatoes stewed with salt and pepper, one clove of garlic and cook all together until it thickens. Strain this into the corn and coconut and add one spring chicken cut in four pieces. Put the mixture into the shell of the coconut, using the cut off top as a cover and close tightly with a covering of paste to keep in the flavors. Put the coconut in a pan with water in it and set in an oven well heated for one hour, basting frequently to keep the coconut from burning.

Frittato Misto.—Take a lamb chop, a piece of calf brain, one sweetbread, a slice of veal, a fresh mushroom, sliced Italian squash, a piece of asparagus or of cauliflower and dip these into a batter made of an egg well beaten with a little flour. Sprinkle these with a little lime juice and fry to a delicate brown in butter, adding salt and pepper to taste.

Soles With Wine.—Take fillets of sole and pound lightly with blade of a knife, then soak them two hours in well beaten eggs seasoned with salt and pepper. When ready to cook roll them in breadcrumbs and fry in olive oil. Take a little of that oil and put in another pan with a tablespoonful of butter and season with salt and pepper and again cook fish in this, adding one-half glass of dry white wine. Let cool five minutes.

Spanish Chicken Pie.—Cut up a chicken and boil until tender. Cut up and fry in chicken fat two onions, two green peppers, stirring in one and one-half tablespoonsfuls of flour. Have ready five tomatoes, stewed, and put in two dozen ripe olives, with a small clove of garlic, mashed. Grate seven large ears of corn, season with salt and put in a layer in a greased pan, then chicken, then the other ingredients, with a little of the gravy. Stir all together and bake until brown.

The Generous Host.—Parvenu took his wife and two other women to lunch at a fashionable hotel. As they seated themselves in the lofty, oval dining room Mrs. Parvenu whispered to her husband:

"Ask for a menu, Jack."

Parvenu puffed out his chest and chuckled.

"One menu only?" he said. "One menu for four. No, no; I'll do the thing well now I've started it. Here, waiter, four menus—fresh ones, mind, and see that they're not overdone."—Detroit Free Press

DAMASCUS.

Damascus, the oldest city in the world with a continuous history, is the political and business center of its district. It lies 2,300 feet above sea level in a fertile oasis surrounded by barren mountains and desert. The wonderful productiveness of this oasis is due to the abundance of water supplied by the seven rivers of Damascus.

The Monrovia Steam Laundry is now giving Sierra Madre a daily service.

Satisfied!

I've a Lot to Be Thankful For



I can give thanks for being successful. People who put me to work for them get results. They're satisfied. I cost little. I act quickly.

News Liners

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—
"Buster," a small fox terrier, white with brown and tan on head, wearing collar with Sierra Madre license tag. Reward for return, or for information if dead. T. H. Graham, phone Green 1. 42

FOR SALE—Green gage plums. Phone Red 37. 42